

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): HURST et al.

Serial No.: 10/625,128

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING A PROTOCOL
USED ON A SIGNALLING LINK

Filed: 23 July 2003

Examiner: Afsar M. Qureshi

Art Unit: 2616

Confirmation No.: 8803

Customer No.: 27,623

Attorney Docket No.: 30020382 US-02

Mail Stop Amendment
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated February 21, 2007 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$_____ to extend the time for filing this response until _____.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims		Minus	20	0	x \$50.00	\$
Independent Claims		Minus	3	0	x \$200.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$360.00 = \$	
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES					\$0.00	
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY					\$N/A	

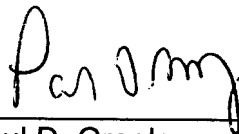
The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00 .

 A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

April 11, 2007

Date



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Dear Sir:

Applicants are submitting the present document in response to an Office Action dated 21 FEB 2007 (hereinafter "the Office Action") for the above-noted application. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to Abstract begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.